## MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF LOS ANGELES MEMORIAL COLISEUM COMMISSION

Thursday, March 23, 2017

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Meeting of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission (the "Commission") was held in the Coliseum Commission Room on Thursday, March 23, 2017, and was called to order at 2:48 p.m. by President **PRICE**.

## 2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Mr. Curren D. Price, Jr., President

Mr. Mark Ridley-Thomas Ms. Mona Pasquil Rogers

Three (3) and a quorum

ABSENT: Mr. Reginald B. Jones-Sawyer, Sr. (Non-voting)

Mr. Ricardo Lara (Non-voting)
Ms. Janice Hahn (Alternate)

Mr. Marqueece Harris-Dawson (Alternate)

STAFF PRESENT: Mr. Robert E. Osborne, Secretary and CAO

Ms. Noreen Vincent, Co-Counsel Ms. Teresa Lujan, Co-Counsel

Mr. Thomas J. Faughnan, Co-Counsel

ALSO PRESENT: Mr. Joe Furin Ms. Diane Sher

Mr. Fernando Ramirez Mr. Al Naipo

Ms. Leslie Wall

**3.** The President did not comment.

- 4. RECEIVED public comment form Ms. SHER in support of the Commission's election of President Price and the welcoming of our new Commission member Ms. Mona Pasquil Rogers.
- 5. It was MOVED by President PRICE, SECONDED by Commissioner RIDLEY-THOMAS, and carried by unanimous vote, that the minutes of the Commission's regular meeting held on February 23, 2017, be APPROVED.
- 6. President PRICE opened the nominations for the office of Vice President of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission. Commissioner RIDLEY-THOMAS nominated Commissioner PASQUIL ROGERS. No other nominations were offered. President PRICE closed the nominations.

Commissioner **PASQUIL ROGERS** was **ELECTED**, three votes to zero, to the office of Vice President of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission effective immediately following adjournment.

Ayes:

PASQUIL ROGERS, RIDLEY-THOMAS, PRICE

Nays: Absent: None None

Abstentions:

None

- 7. APPROVED by unanimous consent, there being no objection, that the CAO be directed to submit a report providing specifics around the proposition of the creation of a foundation and report back to the Commission.
- 8. RECEIVED AND FILED by unanimous consent, there being no objection, University of Southern California's (USC) Memorial Coliseum and Memorial Sports Arena General Manager's Report.
- **9. RECEIVED** public comment from Ms. **SHER** in opposition to USC having the contractual right to propose individuals for appointment to the Commission.

**APPROVED** by unanimous consent, there being no objection, that Vice President **PASQUIL ROGERS** would discuss the proposed JPA amendment with Commission staff and report back to the Commission at the Commission's next regularly scheduled meeting.

10. It was MOVED by President PRICE, SECONDED by Vice President PASQUIL ROGERS, and APPROVED by unanimous vote, that the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission agree to USC's proposal to fund Coliseum Commission operating expenses.

## 11. NOT USED

**12.** It was **MOVED** by Commissioner **RIDLEY-THOMAS**, **SECONDED** by Vice President **PASQUIL ROGERS**, and **APPROVED** unanimously, that the consideration of a Commission scroll for Don **KNABE** be continued.

Further, APPROVED by unanimous consent, there being no objection, that the CAO, be **DIRECTED** to prepare, and report back to the Commission, a list of candidates for consideration to receive scrolls.

The Commission entered Closed Session.

CS-1 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION (CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1))

Case: Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission, et al. v. Lynch, et al., BC 472814

No reportable action was taken.

The Commission entered Open Session.

- **13. APPROVED** by unanimous consent, there being no objection, that the Commission's FY 2016-17 Final Budget be adopted as presented.
- **14. ADJOURNED** at 4:22 p.m.

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Secretary